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In re Application of	:	
Diez	:	
Application No. 10/674,202	:	ON PETITION
Filed: September 29, 2003	:	
Attorney Docket No. HOGC415	:	
For: FUEL CELL UNIT, COMPOSITE	:	
BLOCK OF FUEL CELLS AND METHOD	:	
FOR MANUFACTURING A COMPOSITE	:	
BLOCK OF FUEL CELLS	:	

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed May 14, 2007 (certificate of mailing date May 9, 2007), to revive the above-identified application.

The petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) is **GRANTED**.

As a preliminary matter, the application file does not indicate a change of address has been filed in this case, although the address given on the petition differs from the address of record. A change of address should be filed in this case in accordance with MPEP 601.03. A courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the address noted on the petition. However, until otherwise instructed, all future correspondence regarding this application will be mailed solely to the address of record.

This application became abandoned for failure to timely reply to the Restriction Requirement, mailed June 21, 2006, which set a one month shortened statutory period for reply. No extensions of time having been obtained pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) and no reply being received in the Office, this application became abandoned on July 22, 2006. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on May 10, 2007.

Applicant has submitted a proper reply to the June 21, 2006 Restriction Requirement in the form of an election, an acceptable statement of the unintentional nature of the delay in responding to the June 21, 2006 Restriction Requirement, and the petition fee. Accordingly, the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) is **granted**.

After the mailing of this decision, the file will be returned to Technology Center AU 1745 for consideration of the election filed on May 14, 2007(certificate of mailing date May 9, 2007).

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter may be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3230.

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